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Six pretty ponchos in a variety of styles to knit or crochet for the YOUNG GENERATION

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poncho punch

PLEASE BE SURE TO OBSERVE THESE BASIC RULES

TO CROCHET: In all crochet, always insert your crochet hook under the *2 loops of each stitch* (unless the directions tell you otherwise). If you insert the hook under only *one* loop, you'll get a different effect — one that you don't want.

STITCH GAUGE: The term *"Stitch Gauge"* is the *Most Important* part of all *Knitting* and *Crochet* directions, since the sizing of any article is planned on this gauge. You *Must* work to the gauge which is given or your finished work will not be the size indicated in the directions.

TO CHECK STITCH GAUGE: *Cast* on or *Chain* approximately 20 sts, using the yarn and needles specified. Work in specified pattern stitch for 4 inches. Bind or fasten off. Steam the swatch. Then using a *Ruler* as a guide, count the number of sts to 1 inch. If your stitch gauge is *More* sts to 1 inch than given in the directions, try the next size larger needle and again check your gauge. If your stitch gauge is *Less* sts to 1 inch than that given in the directions, try the next size smaller needle and again check your gauge. The *Important Thing* to remember is that the size needle used does not matter, as long as your stitch gauge is correct.

GARTER STITCH: Knit every row. It will take 2 rows to make 1 ridge.

STOCKINETTE STITCH: K 1 row, P 1 row alternately when working on straight needles. When working round and round on a circular needle or double point needles, knit every round.

RIBBING: On the first row work in the ribbing pattern given. On all other rows, K over the K sts and P over the P sts.

TO SLIP A STITCH: Whenever the directions specify a sl st, always insert the right hand needle in the st to be slipped as if to P, unless otherwise indicated.

MARKERS: When work specifies the use of a marker, use a small round paper clip for this purpose. In working, always slip this marker from one needle to the other.

JOINING YARN: If possible always join a new ball of yarn at the beginning of a row. When it is necessary to join the yarn while working across a row, leave an end about 4 inches long; then work from the new ball of yarn on the next st, also leaving a 4 inch end. After working for 1 inch more, tie these two ends in a square knot, so that the tension will be the same as all other sts. When finishing work, run in these ends on wrong side for 1 inch.

ABBREVIATIONS

K .....knit
P .....purl
st(s) .....stitch(es)
inc .....increase
dec .....decrease
tog .....together
y o .....yarn over
sl .....slip
sl st .....slip stitch
psso ....pass slip stitch over knit stitch
ch .....chain
s c .....single crochet
d c .....double crochet
tr .....treble crochet

* — this symbol indicates that the directions immediately following are to be repeated a given number of times.

"Work even" means to work without increasing or decreasing, always keeping pattern as established.

Equivalent Canadian and American Knitting Needle Sizes

American	0	1	2	3	4	5	6	
Canadian	14	13	12	11	10	9	8	
American	7	8	9	10	10½	11	13	15
Canadian	7	6	5	4	2	1	00	0000

PARA LOS DE HABLA ESPANOLA

K .....punto derecho
P .....punto reves
inc .....aumentar
dec .....menguar
st(s) .....punto(s)
sl .....punto sin tejer
y o .....pasar estambre por arriba aguja
beg .....comenzando
tog .....junto
ch .....cadeneta
s c .....crochet sencillo
d c .....crochet doble
s p .....espaciar
tr .....crochet treble

*Asterisco: Repita las instrucciones siguiendo el asterisco tantas veces adicionales como este sepecificado.

"Work even": Trabaje parejo — siga el patron de puntos sin aumentar or disminuir.

POUR LES CANADIENS

K .....tricoter à l'endroit
P .....tricoter à l'envers
inc .....augmenter
dec .....diminuer
tog .....ensemble
y o ....passez la maille par dessus l'aiguille
beg .....commencement
sl .....glissez
sl st .....glissez 1 maille
ch .....chaine
s c .....simple crochet
d c .....double crochet
st(s) .....maille(s)
tr .....treble crochet

Every effort has been made to have these directions accurate and complete; however, we cannot be responsible for variance of individual knitters, human errors, or typographical mistakes.

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STYLE NO. 5121-171

These directions are for sizes 7 through 14.

MATERIALS

BERNAT BERELLA GERMANTOWN (2 oz. balls) — 1 each Colors A, B, C, D and E
1 BERNAT-Aero crochet hook Size K
(Canadian Wool Crochet Hook No. 4)
OR ANY SIZE HOOK THAT WILL GIVE THE STITCH GAUGE GIVEN BELOW

GAUGE: 11 s c = 4 inches 3 rows = 1 inch

FIRST PIECE: Using Color A and leaving a 3 inch end, ch 73 sts loosely to measure 28 inches. Fasten off, leaving a 3 inch end. Row 1: Using Color A with right side facing you and leaving a 3 inch end, join yarn in first ch, ch 1, 1 s c in each ch across row. Fasten off Color A, leaving a 3 inch end — 73 sts. Row 2: Using Color B with right side facing you and leaving a 3 inch end, join yarn in ch 1 st, ch 1, working in BACK LOOP ONLY 1 s c in each s c across row. Fasten off, leaving a 3 inch end. Row 3: Using Color C with right side facing you and leaving a 3 inch end, join yarn in ch 1 st, ch 1, * working in BACK LOOP ONLY, 1 s c in each of next 9 s c, 1 s c in next st of row below (long s c), repeat from * across row, ending working in BACK LOOP ONLY, 1 s c in each of the next 2 s c. Fasten off Color C leaving a 3 inch end. Row 4: Using Color D with right side facing you and leaving a 3 inch end, join yarn in ch 1 st, ch 1, working in BACK LOOP ONLY 1 s c in each of the next 8 s c, * 1 long s c in next st, working in BACK LOOP ONLY, 1 s c in each of the next 9 s c, repeat from * across row, ending 1 long s c in next s c, working in BACK LOOP ONLY 1 s c in each of the next 3 s c. Fasten off Color D leaving a 3 inch end. Row 5: Using Color E with right side facing you and leaving a 3 inch end, join yarn in ch 1 st, ch 1, working in BACK LOOP ONLY 1 s c in each of the next 7 s c, * 1 long s c in next st, working in BACK LOOP ONLY 1 s c in each of the next 9 s c, repeat from *, ending 1 long s c in next st, working in BACK LOOP ONLY 1 s c in each of the next 4 s c. Fasten off Color E leaving a 3 inch end. Working in color pattern as established and moving long s c 1 st to right EVERY ROW, continue to work 1 s c in BACK LOOP ONLY of each of the next 9 s c until 45 rows have been completed, ending with Color E.

SECOND PIECE: Work in same manner as first piece.

FINISHING: Sew pieces tog as shown in diagram. Using Color E work 1 row s c around neck edge holding into desired size. FRINGE: Cut strands of yarn 7 inches long. Starting at top of striped edge and matching colors, * knot 1 strand of yarn in every row, pulling in 3 inch end to form fringe. Continuing in color pattern, knot 2 strands of yarn in every other st across ch edge, repeat from * once more. Steam lightly.

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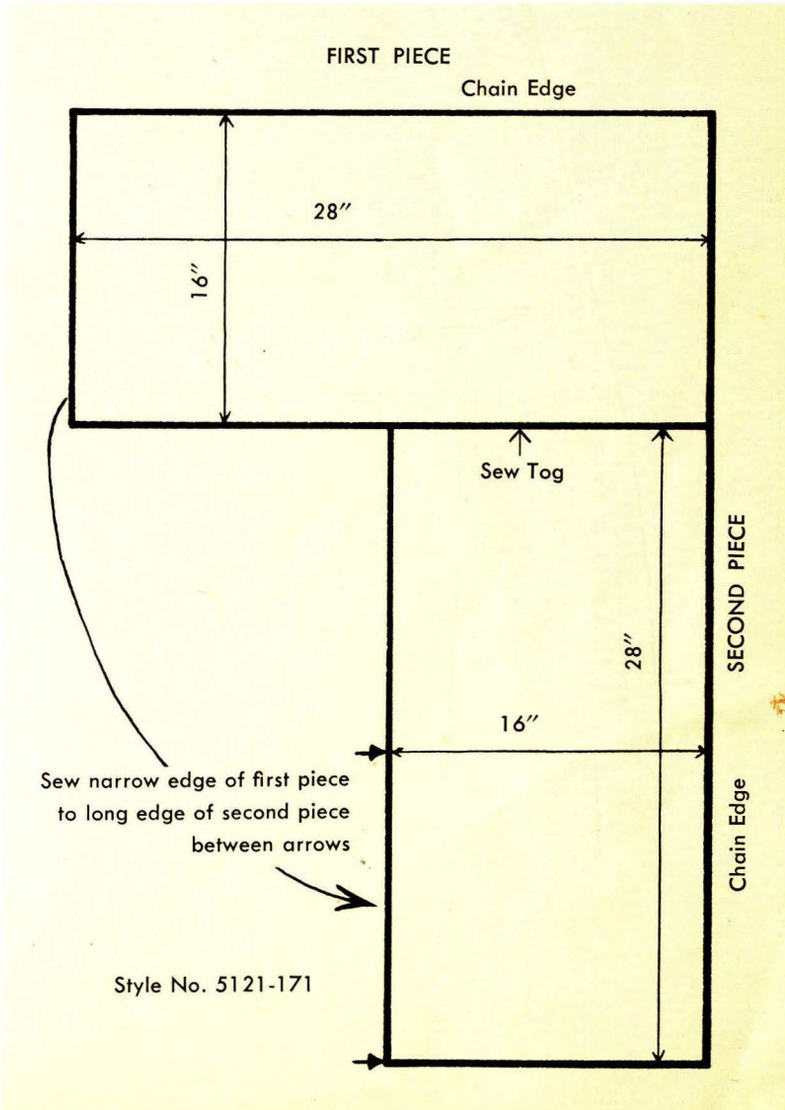

STYLE NO. 5122A-171
and 5122B-171

May also be knitted in plain color. See directions for Style B.

These directions are for Sizes 7 through 14.

MATERIALS

For Style A

BERNAT BERELLA "4" (4 oz. balls) — 2 Main Color (M C); 1 each Colors A and B

For Style B

BERNAT BERELLA "4" (4 oz. balls) — 3
1 BERNAT-Aero circular needle No. 8
(Canadian Needle No. 6)
OR ANY SIZE NEEDLE THAT WILL GIVE THE STITCH GAUGE GIVEN BELOW

GAUGE: 5 sts = 1 inch 7 rows = 1 inch

STYLE A

STRIPING PATTERN: Work in stockinette st as follows: (4 rows M C, 2 rows Color A, 4 rows M C, 2 rows Color B) twice, (4 rows M C, 3 rounds Color A, 4 rounds M C, 3 rounds Color B) twice, (4 rounds M C, 4 rounds Color A, 4 rounds M C, 4 rounds Color B) twice, 3 rounds M C. Starting at neck edge and using M C, cast on 44 sts. Work back and forth in striping pattern as follows: Row 1: P 11, (put a marker on needle, P 11) 3 times. Row 2: Inc 1 st in first st, (K to 1 st before next marker, inc 1 st in each of next 2 sts) 3 times, K to last st, inc 1 st in last st — 8 sts inc. Row 3: Purl. Repeat the last 2 rows 8 times more, ending with Row 2 — 116 sts. Put a marker on needle and join. Then K round and round, inc 1 st each side of each marker every other round until there are 98 sts between each group of markers, ending with an even round. Bind off.

COLLAR: With right side facing you and using M C, pick up 46 sts across neck edge. Knit 1 row. Row 1: K 3, P 20, put a marker on needle, P 20, K 3. Row 2: Knit. Row 3: K 3, purl to last 3 sts, K 3. Row 4: K 2, inc 1 st in next st, K to 1 st before marker, inc 1 st in each of next 2 sts, K to last 4 sts, inc 1 st in next st, K 3 — 4 sts inc. Row 5: K 3, purl to last 3 sts, K 3. Repeat the last 4 rows 3 times more, ending with Row 4. Then work even in garter st for 6 rows (3 ridges). Bind off.

FINISHING: Using M C, work 1 row s c around front and lower edges. FRINGE: Cut strands of M C, Colors A and B 6 inches long. Knot 1 strand of each color in every 4th st around lower edge. Cut strands of M C 6 inches long. Knot 3 strands in centre st between other fringe. TIES: Make 2. Using 3 colors, make a ch 9 inches long and sew to neck. Steam lightly.

STYLE B

Using one color ONLY, work in same manner as Style A.

STYLE NO. 5119-171

These directions are for small size (4-6).
Changes for medium size (8-10) are in parentheses.

MATERIALS

BERNAT BERELLA GERMANTOWN (2 oz. balls) — 3(4)
1 pair BERNAT-Aero straight knitting needles No. 11 *(Canadian Needles No. 1)*
OR ANY SIZE NEEDLES THAT WILL GIVE THE STITCH GAUGE GIVEN BELOW
1 BERNAT-Aero crochet hook Size I *(Canadian Wool Crochet Hook No. 7)*

GAUGE: 7 sts = 2 inches

Make 2 pieces. Cast on 3 sts. Row 1: Inc 1 st in first st, K 1 , inc 1 st in last st. Row 2: Inc 1 st in first st, K to last st, inc 1 st in last st. Repeat Row 2 eight times more — 23 sts. Row 11: Inc 1 st in first st, * y o, K 2 tog, repeat from * across row, K again in last K 2 tog — 2 sts inc. Row 12: Inc 1 st in first st, K 1, * y o, K 2 tog, repeat from * to last st, inc 1 st in last st — 2 sts inc. Rows 13 and 14: K, inc 1 st each end of needle. Repeat Rows 11 through 14 twice more. Rows 23 through 30: K, inc 1 st each end of needle. Repeat Rows 11 through 30 until there are 85(125) sts on needle, ending with Row 22. SHAPE SHOULDERS: Rows 1, 3, 5 and 7: K, dec 1 st each end of needle. Rows 2, 4, 6 and 8: Knit. Row 9: K 1, * y o, K 2 tog, repeat from * across row. Row 10: K 2 tog, K 1, * y o, K 2 tog, repeat from *, ending y o, (K 2 tog) twice. Row 11: Knit. Row 12: K, dec 1 st each end of needle. Repeat Rows 9 through 12 twice more. Then repeat Rows 1 through 20 until 35 sts remain. Bind off.

FINISHING: Sew shoulder seams. Work 1 row s c around entire outer edge. Work 1 row s c around neck edge, holding into desired size. FRINGE: Cut yarn 6 inches long. Knot 2 strands in every other st around outer edge. Steam seams.

STYLE NO. 5117A-171
and 5117B-171

These directions are for Size 4.
Changes for Sizes 6 and 8 are in parentheses.

MATERIALS

For Style A

BERNAT BERELLA "4" (4 oz. balls) — 1(2-2) Color A,
1(2-2) Color B,

For Style B

BERNAT BERELLA "4" (4 oz. balls) — 2(4-4)
1 pair BERNAT-Aero straight knitting needles No. 13 *(Canadian Needles No. 00)*
OR ANY SIZE NEEDLES THAT WILL GIVE THE STITCH GAUGE GIVEN BELOW

GAUGE: 3 sts = 1 inch 4 rows = 1 inch

STYLE A

NOTE: Yarn is used double throughout.
Make 2 pieces. Using yarn double, cast on 104(112-120)sts loosely. Row 1: P 52(56-60)sts, put a marker on needle, P to end of row. Row 2: K 1, K 2 tog, K 47(51-55)sts, K 2 tog, slip marker, K 2 tog, K 47(51-55)sts, K 2 tog, K 1 — 4 sts dec. Row 3: Purl. Repeat the last 2 rows until 18 sts remain on needle. K 1, P 1 in ribbing for 1 inch. Bind off loosely in ribbing.

FINISHING: Sew seams. FRINGE: Cut strands of yarn 8 inches long. Knot 2 strands in every other st around lower edge. Steam lightly.

STYLE B

Using yarn double and using one color ONLY, work in same manner as Style A.

May be knitted in tweed (Style A) or in plain color (Style B) as shown.

STYLE NO. 5120-171

These directions are for small size (4-6).
Changes for medium size (8-10) are in parentheses.

MATERIALS

BERNAT BERELLA "4" (4 oz. balls) — 2(3)
1 BERNAT-Aero circular knitting needle No. 13
(Canadian Needle No. 00)
OR ANY SIZE NEEDLE THAT WILL GIVE THE STITCH GAUGE GIVEN BELOW
1 BERNAT-Aero crochet hook Size K
(Canadian Wool Crochet Hook No. 4)
4(6) buttons

GAUGE: 3 sts = 1 inch 4 rows = 1 inch

NOTE: Yarn is used double throughout.
Using yarn double, cast on 180(236) sts loosely. Row 1: P 45(59) sts, * put a marker on needle, P 45(59) sts, repeat from * twice more. Row 2: K 2 tog, K to 2 sts before first marker, * sl 1, K 1, psso, slip marker, K 2 tog, K to 2 sts before next marker, repeat from * to last 2 sts, K 2 tog — 8 sts dec. Row 3: Purl. Repeat the last 2 rows until 36 sts remain. Now K 1, P 1 in ribbing for 8(10) rows to form collar. Bind off loosely.

FINISHING: Starting at neck edge and using yarn double, work in s c around entire poncho, working 3 s c in each corner st. LEFT FRONT: Work 3 rows more in s c. Fasten off. RIGHT FRONT: Starting at lower edge, work to correspond to left front, forming first buttonhole at neck edge on 3rd row. BUTTONHOLE: Starting at neck edge, work 1 s c, * ch 1, skip 1 s c, work 1 s c in each of the next 4 s c, repeat from * until 3(5) more buttonholes have been formed, work to end of row. Work 1 row more in s c. Fasten off. FRINGE: Cut double strands of yarn 8 inches long. Knot 2 strands in every st around lower edge and collar. Steam lightly. Sew on buttons.

STYLE NO. 5118A-171 and 5118B-171

Shown on back cover.

These directions are for small size (4-6).
Changes for medium size (8-10) are in parentheses.

MATERIALS

For Style A
BERNAT BERELLA GERMANTOWN (2 oz. balls) — 2 Color A and 2(3) Color B

For Style B
BERNAT BERELLA GERMANTOWN (2 oz. balls) — 4(5)
1 crochet hook Size Q
OR ANY SIZE HOOK THAT WILL GIVE THE STITCH GAUGE GIVEN BELOW

GAUGE: 3 s c = 2 inches

STYLE A

NOTE: Yarn is used double throughout.
Using Color A, ch 27(37) sts loosely to measure approximately 18(24) inches. Row 1: 1 s c in 2nd ch from hook, 1 s c in each remaining st of ch, ch 1, turn — 26(36) sts. Row 2: 1 s c in each s c across row, ch 1, turn. Row 3: Repeat Row 2, but do not ch 1. Fasten off Color A. Row 4: Join Color B and work in s c across row, ch 1, turn. Row 5: Repeat Row 2. Row 6: Repeat Row 3. Fasten off Color B. Continue to work in pattern as established until 5(7) rows of alternate colors have been worked, ending with Color A. Fasten off. SHAPE RIGHT SHOULDER: Join Color B at arm edge and work in s c across 10(15) sts, ch 1, turn. Continue to work in this manner until 4(6) rows of Color B have been worked. Fasten off. SHAPE LEFT SHOULDER: Starting at arm edge and with right side facing you, join Color B and work to correspond to right shoulder. Fasten off. Starting at arm edge, join Color A and work in pattern across 10(15) sts, ch 6 (neck), work across last 10(15) sts. Working in pattern as established, work to correspond to other half of poncho, ending with Color A. Fasten off.

FINISHING: Work in s c around neck edge. FRINGE: Cut strands of yarn 8 inches long. Knot 4 strands in each s c space around entire poncho. Trim ends. Steam lightly.

STYLE B

Using yarn double and using one color ONLY, work in same manner as Style A.

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Directions for Style Nos. 5118A-171 and 5118B-171 are shown on (page 7)